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Records of the United States Department of State (USDS), indicate captioned subject is assigned as Second Secretary, Frees and Culture, Embassy of the Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia, Washington, D. C. (WDC).

During the first part of June, 1974, a confidential source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, learned the following from Zdravko Tolalbasia:

On June 3, 1974, Jim Gray (pn), Managing Editor,
"Labor Advocate," Asheville, North Carolina, was in contact
with Telabasic regarding Andre Artuhovic, Minister of
Interior of an Independent State of Groatia, during World
Mar II. Source has learned that Gray has recently introduced
resolution at the convention of American Veterans (ANVETS)
Organization to press for final decision on status of alleged
war criminals, using Andre Artuhovic as an example, regarding
either extradition or permanent asylum in the United States.
Source has also learned that Gray intends to introduce same
resolution at ANVETS National Convention which will soon be
held in Hollywood, Florida. Gray is interested if Yugoslavs
could provide him with one documented case of Artuhovic's
involvement in the execution of any captured American pilot.
Source has learned that Telabasic advised Gray to communicate
with Milan Bulajic, Yugoslav Consul General in New York, since
Bulajic is an expert on this matter. Source has learned that
Gray will send copies of the resolution to Bulajic and Telabasic
to make whatever use of it the two see fit.

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